

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Items of Interest Gathered From Our Exchanges.

Jonesburg Journal.

A. A. Hess is on the sick list this week.

Rolla Paul was here Monday assisting in getting his stock ready for business.

Roy Patterson who has been visiting relatives at Knoxville Ill. the past two months returned last week.

P. C. Taylor of Montgomery and W. Berry of Mexico were here Wednesday looking at some of our good horses.

Medms. Marie Wilson and Sue Torbat of Montgomery came down last Thursday to see that W. H. Wilson celebrated his ninety first birthday in a manner befitting a young man of his standing. They certainly did their part well, for Uncle Henry has been as gay as a lark since, and stepping around as spry as a young man of thirty, looking for a dashing young widow about twenty five. Here's hoping Uncle Henry will remain young and enjoy many more happy returns of the day.

New Florence Leader.

Skeet Martin and family have moved to Kansas City.

Dr. Phillips came down from Montgomery Tuesday and vaccinated 121 hogs for Chas. H. Allen.

Richard and Dixie Greenwell loaded a car Saturday with their farming implements and stock and left that night for Nebraska to make their home.

Mrs. Jno. Dutton spent Saturday in St. Louis. While there she visited Mrs. H. D. Chandler who is in the hospital. She reports Mrs. Chandler as getting along fine.

Mrs. Joe McClure went to Mexico Saturday in response to a message that her son, Willie had broken his arm.

John Jeffries sold 52 head of fine cattle to W. H. Verser this week at \$5.40. They averaged over 1400 and the total net was in excess of \$4,000. Mr. Verser shipped to St. Louis but not finding a good market went on to Chicago.

Chas. Stuecken and Fred Lichte Jr. will leave soon for Hallsville Boone county where they have purchased farms. They will ship a lot of lumber which will be used in making improvements. They are members of the best families of the Big Spring vicinity.

Belldower News.

There will be a Christmas tree in the hall at Marling on Christmas eve.

Mrs. Tina Fleet has moved to town and is occupying the former Lovelace property recently purchased from J. W. Schowengordt.

Lee Pine has traded his residence property near the cemetery to J. W. Schowengordt for the property just north of J. Q. Adams.

On last Saturday Mrs. J. H. Johnson received the sad news of the death of her little nephew, James Harold Tamsk, son of Frank and Belle Tamsk of Scotland, S. D. Mrs. Tamsk will be remembered as Miss Belle Rodgers.

After the sale of J. F. Anderson horses at Davidson & Moore's barn last Saturday, a monthly stock sale was organized to be held on the first Saturday in every month at 2 o'clock p. m. Cort Stewart will be on hand to use the hammer, so bring in what you have to sell.

Rev. and Mrs. Reeve, who have boarded at the Central hotel since taking up their residence here, went to house keeping last week and to give them a start and show their appreciation of their work, the members of the Belldower and Zion Baptist churches called them in the form of a donation party, and the donation included most everything in the line of good eatables.

Early Thursday morning the word came to Mrs. John Johnson of the death of her little niece, Helen Edna Lynch, daughter of Jas. and Stella Lynch, of Granite City, Ill. the latter being also a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rodgers of Montgomery City.

Middletown Chipp.

John Burton and wife were in town last week.

Born, to Joe Odee and wife, on Dec. 2, a boy. That smile of Joe's is in fine working order now.

Dr. Ford reports the birth of a girl at the home of Forest Keithley and wife, west of town, on Dec. 3.

W. F. Coe, recently elected constable of this township, received his commission at Montgomery City last Monday.

Bryan is like Adam of old—he knows he should not run for president, but he just can't resist the temptation.

Dr. Miller removed the quarantine from the residence of Mrs. C. H. Jones last Monday. The house has been well fumigated and all danger of the scarlet fever is past.

Miss Annie Henderson left Tuesday for Fresno, Calif. where she will visit her brother, Charles and, from there will go to Selma to visit her sister, Mrs. Jas. Rudd. Miss Henderson will spend a year in that country.

L. T. Gooch's team became frightened last Monday and ran off when J. P. Robinson dropped some galvanized roofing they were preparing to load on the walk in front of their ware room. After several fruitless attempts at stopping them, the team ran north until they had crossed the bridge on the south side of N. B. Farmer's residence where one fell and broke several bones in its shoulder. The animal was so injured it had to be killed. This is a great loss to Mr. Gooch as the animal was a good brood mare.

Tom Seeley, a farmer residing on West Cuivre, had his left arm cut off near the elbow last Thursday in his corn shredder while working at C. A. Gilbert's. Mr. Seeley was cleaning out the feeder on the machine when a corn stalk caught his coat sleeve and pulled it into the shredder and then his hand and arm. Clark Tipton, one of the men working there, rescued him from farther injury by catching and pulling him out of the shredder. Drs. Rigg and Ford were called and amputated the member above the elbow.

Wellsville Optic-News.

Messrs. Williams, Sharp & Therikill, who recently bought out Mr. I. Meneise have sold to Mr. Frank Everett, of Mexico.

The Electric Light Plant has changed hands, Mr. O. J. Crow of St. Louis having bought a controlling interest in the plant.

Our Basket Ball team didn't do "auflin" to the Montgomery City team last Saturday. The game stood 42 to 13 in favor of Wellsville, and our team was just getting interested in the game when it closed.

At a regular meeting of the Odd Fellows Lodge of Wellsville, held Monday night the following officers were elected: Dan Mills, N. G.; W. A. Sanders, V. G.; John J. Collum, Rec. Sec.; C. H. Burkhart, Financial Sec.; C. P. Wise, Treasurer.

Wellsville Star.

W. A. Schulz went to St. Louis last week to have his hand treated. He was bitten on the hand by a dog about two weeks ago and it was feared that blood poison would set in. At last reports he was getting along nicely.

Deputy Sheriff Edw. Gruenewald of St. Charles has received a check for \$200 from the Postoffice Department as a reward for the arrest of the men who robbed the Wellsville postoffice in April, 1909.

Henry Roppel came up from St. Louis Monday on business. He sold a tract of land in the north part of town, containing five lots, to F. W. Blackwell for \$2,100. Mr. Roppel called at this office and had us change the Star to his St. Louis address.

George Wiggs of this city and Miss Nellie Garret of Mexico were married in that city Saturday night, Rev. J. D. Greer officiated.

The local Woodmen camp met last Thursday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: V. C., Dan Mills; W. A., Ross Thorley; Banker, L. E. Alter; Clerk, R. G. McKibben; Escort, Frank Hall; Physician, Dr. E. A. Hudson; Manager, H. G. Reynolds; Watchman, Elmer Harris; Sentry, Jim Marlow.

Rhinecland Record.

Hog cholera is said to be spreading in the north part of this county.

Louis Saner, a former citizen of the place, was found dead in his home at Chamblee Sunday.

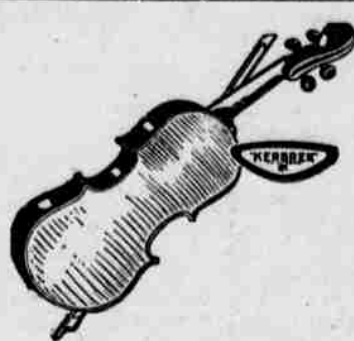
21 MEDIUM AND HIGH-GRADE PIANOS AT FORCED SALE



WE ARE FORCED TO SELL at once and this sale will last until EVERY PIANO IS SOLD AT SOME PRICE! Now is the time to get a BARGAIN, either for cash or on time in a Lakeside, Wilson, Bush & Gerts or a Packard. Also a Self-player Bush & Gerts Piano at less than cost. Come in and see how Cheap you can buy a new Piano



A New Stock of KERBREN Violins, Guitars, Mandolins and Banjos just received for the CHRISTMAS TRADE Edison Phonographs and Records a new stock of the latest. Singer, Eldridge, Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines. A nice, new Machine for only \$13.50



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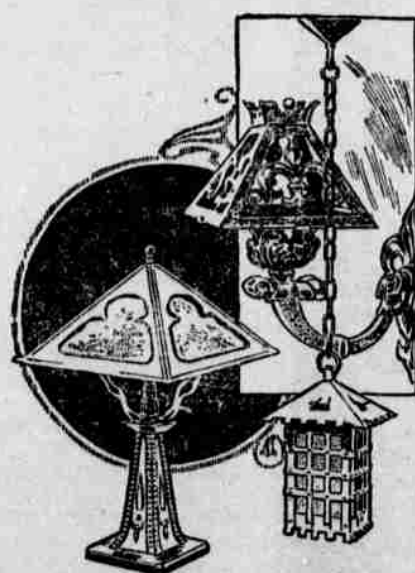
XMAS GIFTS

In the way of suitable presents for the little folks, young people and adults. We now have in stock an exceptionally fine assortment of unusually well made pieces in Gold,

Silver, Cut Glass, China, Brass, and Gem Set Jewelry



Electroliers



Beautiful line of new patterns at Popular Prices.

In Gold

Watches, Rings, Bracelets, Brooches, Chains, Lockets, Link Buttons and Scarf Pins

In Silver

Spoons, Tea Sets, Casseroles Bake Dishes, Knives and Forks, Comb and Brush Sets Mesh Bags, Toilet Pieces and Shaving Sets.

In China

Berry Sets, Pudding Dishes, Vases, Plates, Cups and Saucers, Bowls, Tea Sets, Etc.

In Brass

Umbrella Stands, Candle Sticks, Jardiniers, Smoking Sets.

In Cut Glass

Punch Bowls, Sugar and Cream Sets, Tumblers, Casters, Nappies, Vases, Puff Boxes, Colognes.



If you are wondering what to give to the one who would be the most pleased to receive, let us be of service to you

A. VOGT & SON, JEWELERS

Montgomery City, Mo.

What is New We Have,

What is Standard We Carry

Assessor Wm. Constance and deputy, Joe Covington, were assessing in this vicinity the latter part of last week.

Dr. O. R. Rauschelbach reports the arrival of a fine baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bratton, of Bluffton, on Monday, December 5th, 1910.

Married, by Rev. J. E. Donovan, at the home of Mrs. A. True in St. Louis, Wednesday, Nov. 30, at 3:30 p. m., Mr. Jas. C. Meritt and Miss Margaret E. Swope, both of Wellsville.

Julius Autenrieth came to town Tuesday evening, his face aglow with "that smile that won't come off." The cause of his rejoicing was over the arrival of a fine baby boy from Starkland Tuesday afternoon.

At a meeting of the City Council of Hermann Monday the saloon license was raised from \$75 to \$300 per year; beer depots licenses from \$150 to \$300 a year. There are eight saloons in Hermann.

Advertised Letters.

Dec. 14, 1910.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Montgomery City, Mo., and if not called for within two weeks from date, will be sent to the Dead Letter office: Mr. P. Anderson. Mr. Carlisle Burthe. Mr. Thom Gant Giffon. G. E. Muns. p. m.

FOR SALE—An elegant overcoat for boy 10 to 12 years of age. Apply at this office.

FINAL SETTLEMENT NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all creditors and others interested in the estate of George W. Sallor, deceased that W. T. Sallor, E. T. Oliver, M. M. Oliver Executors of said estate intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Montgomery County, Missouri to be held at the Court House in the City of Montgomery, County of Montgomery and State of Missouri on the third Monday in January, 1911, to-wit: January 16, 1911.

W. T. Sallor, E. T. Oliver, M. M. Oliver, Exrs. estate of George W. Sallor.

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Mexico Has 5939 People.

Washington, December 12.—Census Director Durand to-day announced that Mexico, Audrain County, Mo., has a population of 5939, compared with 5009 ten years ago and 4789 in 1890.

Martin's Cash Variety Store has many useful articles for Xmas presents.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Louisa Stuck deceased, we granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Montgomery County, Mo., at Montgomery City, Mo., on the 5th day of December, 1910.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Albert Stuck, admr. estate of Louisa Stuck, deceased.

(Est. inst. Dec. 9th 1910.)

A Big Increase In Value.

Elisberry, Mo., Dec. 17.—William H. Palmer of this city sold his 184-acre farm, seven miles west of here, yesterday to Fred M. Cox for \$12,500.

Mr. Palmer bought this farm about thirty years ago for \$1,100.